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**OFFICIAL REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

Dear Examiner Timblin:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper and Applicant's remarks begin on page 7.